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| NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: FINANCIAL | PRODUCT RESOU | RCES, INC. | · 0 | OFFICIAL USE ONLY |
| ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS: (Do not use P.O. Box No.) | | | | FIRM I.D. NO. |
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| NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PER FRED KARAGOSIAN | SON TO CONTACT | | | ort 567-9255 |
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*Claims for exemption from the requirement that the annual report be covered by the opinion of an independent public accountant must be supported by a statement of facts and circumstances relied on as the basis for the exemption. See Section 240.17a-5(e)(2)

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| I, Fred KARAGOSIAN | , swear (or affirm) that, to the best of |
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| my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statement | |
| FINANCIAL PROduct Resources, I | |
| | , are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that |
| neither the company nor any partner, proprietor, principal office | |
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CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

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April 28, 2005

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Mr. Fred Karagosian Financial Product Resources, Inc. 560 Sylvan Avenue Englewood Cliffs, NJ 07632

Re: Revised 2004 Financial Statements

Dear Mr. Karagosian:

As a result of the inquiry made by the NASD in their letter dated March 14, 2005 we became aware of facts which require us to revise the notes to the financial statements of Financial Product Resources, Inc. dated February 16, 2005 and originally issued to you on February 22, 2005. Note 3, Related Party Transactions, was changed to reflect the amendment dated April 15, 2004 to the shared expense agreement which increased the monthly payment amount from \$4,500 to \$5,200. Note 7, Commitment, was revised to include the lease payments due in 2005 of \$40,583 so the total minimum payments required was increased from \$27,055 to \$67,638.

There were no other changes made to the financial statements or the supplementary information as a result of the revision of the Notes. Please advise any persons who may rely on the Financial Statements of the changes made to Notes 3 and 7.

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FINANCIAL PRODUCT RESOURCES, INC. NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2004

2. Investment in Marketable Securities

The investments (trading securities) are made up of equities and are presented in the financial statements in accordance with the Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 115, Accounting for Certain Investments in Debt and Equity Securities:

| Beginning balance, at cost | \$ 63,413 |
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| Purchase of additional investments | 14,592 |
| Redemption, at cost, of investments | (22,253) |
| Ending balance, at cost | \$ 55,752 |
| Approximates market value | 57,443 |
| Gross unrealized holding gain at end of year | 1,691 |
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| Net unrealized holding loss | (<u>\$ 5,794)</u> |

Included in investments was a cash balance of \$25,000 for 2004, being held in the Pershing Escrow account. Gains and losses are computed as of the trading date.

3. Related Party Transactions

The Company shares office space and staff with Karagosian Financial Services, whose owner is also a shareholder in Financial Product Resources, Inc. An agreement amended April 15, 2004 provides for a monthly payment of \$5,200, plus health insurance, for the officer, from Karagosian Financial Services for the use of shared services. The effective date of the original agreement was August 1, 1994. The agreement is subject to change by mutual agreement of both parties.

4. Subordinated Loans

The Company has no subordinated loans at December 31, 2004.

FINANCIAL PRODUCT RESOURCES, INC. NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2004

5. Net Capital Requirements

The Company is subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission Uniform Net Capital Rule 15c3-1 which requires the maintenance of minimum net capital and requires that the ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital, both as defined, shall not exceed 15 to 1. At December 31, 2004, the Company had net capital of \$111,248 which was \$106,248 in excess of the required minimum net capital. The Company's net capital ratio at December 31, 2004 was .01 to 1.

6. Pension Plan

Financial Product Resources, Inc. has a 401(k) plan amended effective January 1, 2002 to adopt a Safe Harbor Plan. The plan permits employee contributions as allowed by the Internal Revenue Code. The employer matching contribution is 100% up to the first 3% of employee compensation and 50% for the next 2%. The 2004 contribution is \$7,799.

7. Commitment

Financial Product Resources, Inc. leases its office space. The following is a schedule of future rental payments required under the operating lease that have remaining noncancellable lease terms in excess of one year at December 31, 2004 (see note 3):

| Year ending December 2005 | \$ 40,583 |
|---------------------------------|------------------|
| 2006 | 27,055 |
| Total minimum payments required | <u>\$ 67,638</u> |